

Wednesday 27th January

Learning Objectives:

Use persuasive devices within an argument.	Making shapes	Topic: New England - comparing places.
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English

Watch the beginning of the film again, this time to around 3:09.

<https://vimeo.com/113868429>

Was the young house right or wrong to steal the post from the big house?
'Is stealing ever right?'

There are different perspectives to look at this clip:

Why did the young house take it?
Why did the old house need it?
How did the big house feel having it taken?
What did the dog house think?

Today you are going to try and write the scene from the perspective of one of the houses. You need to get the emotions and feelings across to the reader.

What kind of language is useful when debating a situation?

Conjunctions might be useful - see the conjunction sheet to help you.

Sentence starters might be useful - see the sentence starter sheet.

Now choose one of the houses and argue your point to answer the question:

Was the young house right or wrong to steal the post from the big house?

For example you could start by saying:

I am the Big House and I believe that....

Maths

Start the lesson by practising your times tables for 10-15 minutes. Use the practise sheets and test yourself!

Today you are going to create shapes of a certain area - using squares.

Look at the problem below:

1. Archie the Archaeologist is digging at an old Roman site. He finds 6 mosaic pieces: 4 full squares and 2 half squares. He wants to put the mosaic back together but is unsure of how to make it.



Investigate the shapes that Archie could make.

He decides that the 2 half squares must actually be a broken piece and places them together.

Explore how this changes the number of mosaics that can be made.

Now work through the PowerPoint - stopping to answer the questions as you go.

Today you have a choice. You can either have a go at the investigation sheets - a bit like the problem above, or complete two of the coloured sheets - green, orange and red.

Topic

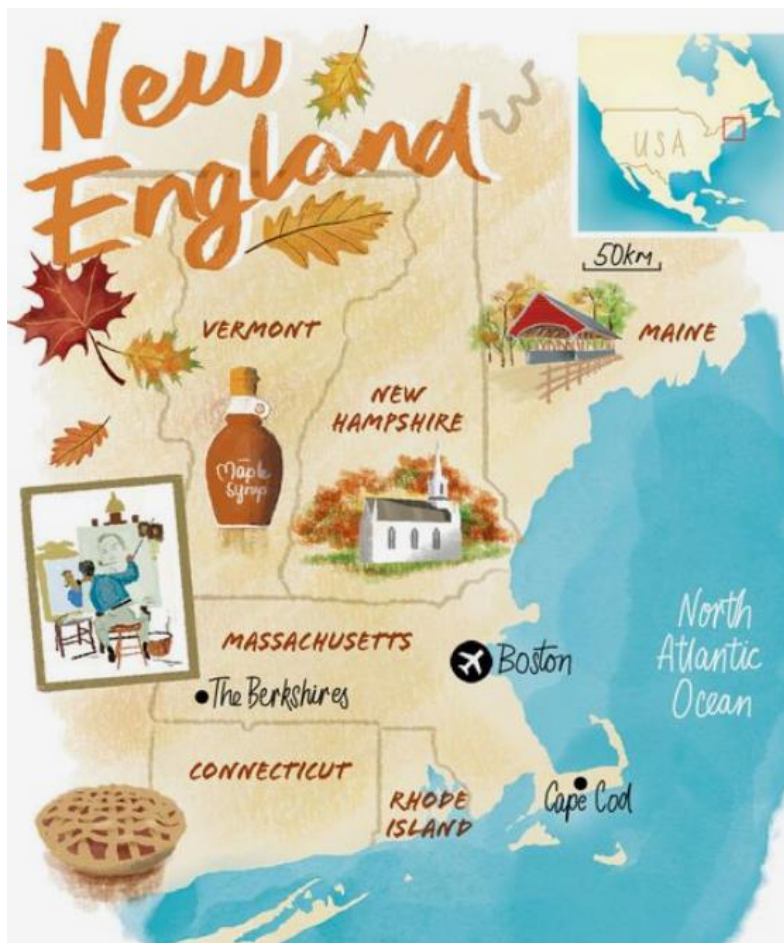
This week we are travelling to an area of the USA known as New England.

I have put a (very) short video of where we have travelled from, and where we are going to on the videoblog.

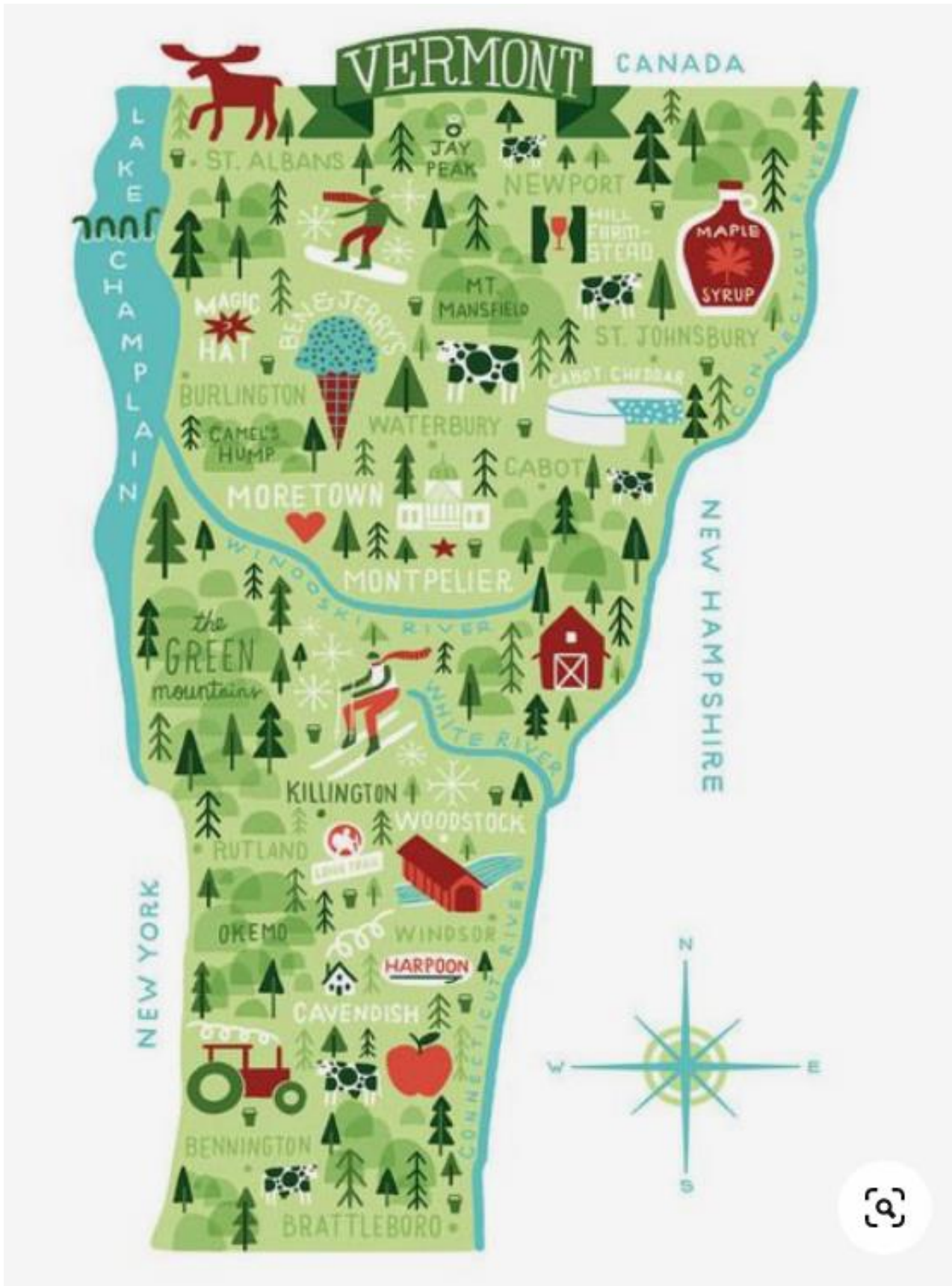
For those of you that like maps as much as I do I have put some state maps below. Use these to help you complete your own map of New England.

Then read through the PowerPoint and complete the tasks as you go.

You will need the blank version of New England and access to the internet, as well as a piece of paper to complete your poster or the comparison sheet.



New England

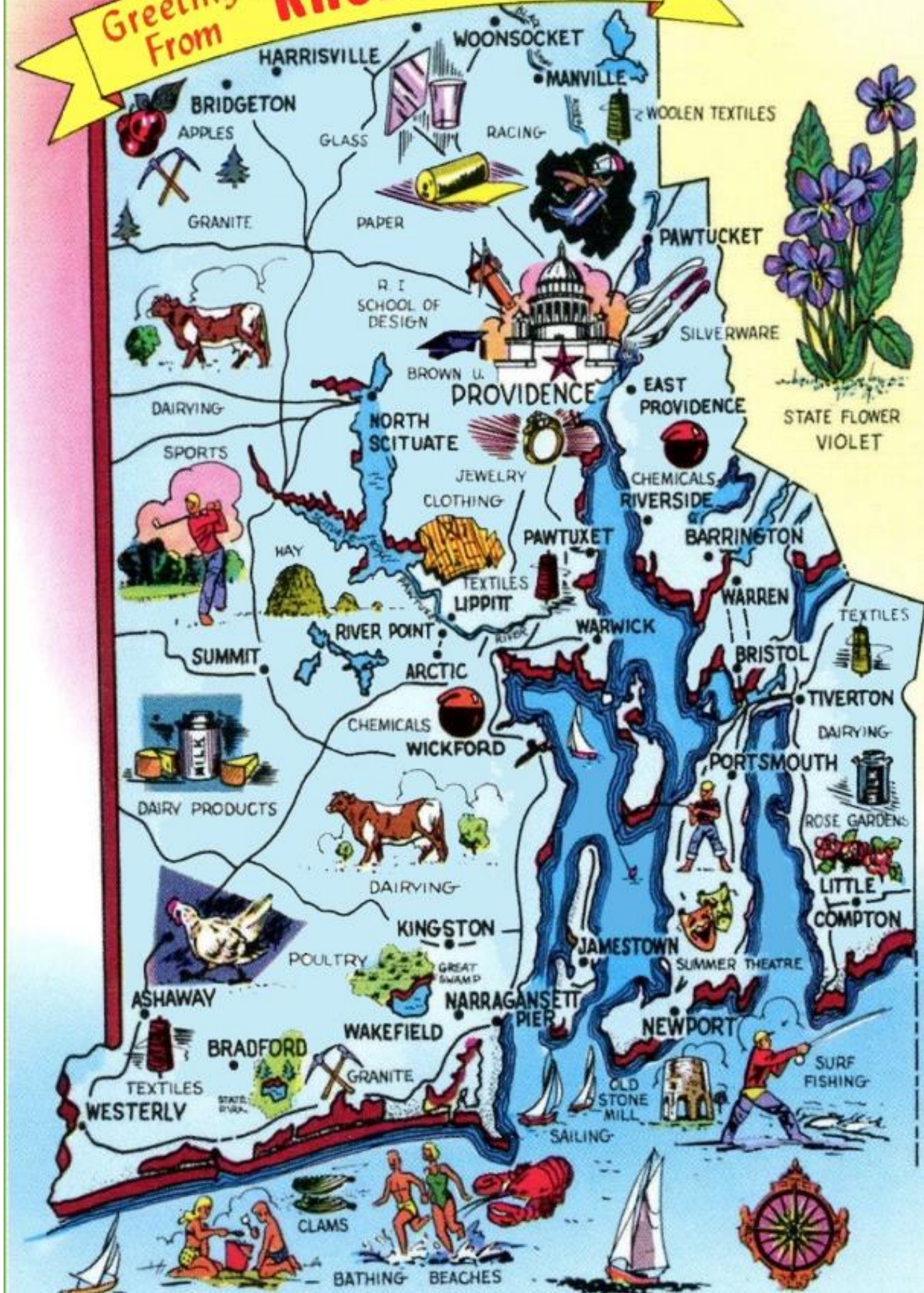


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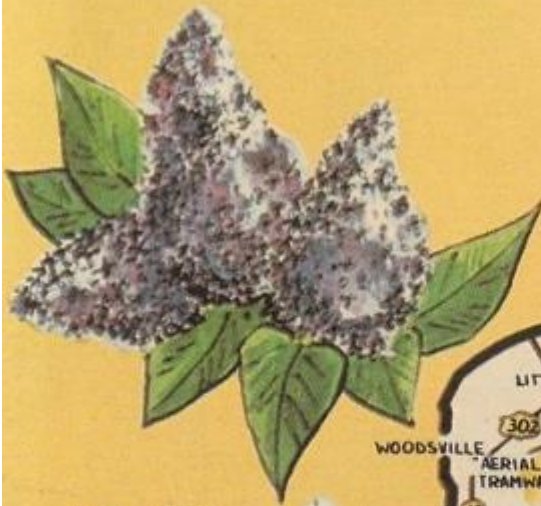
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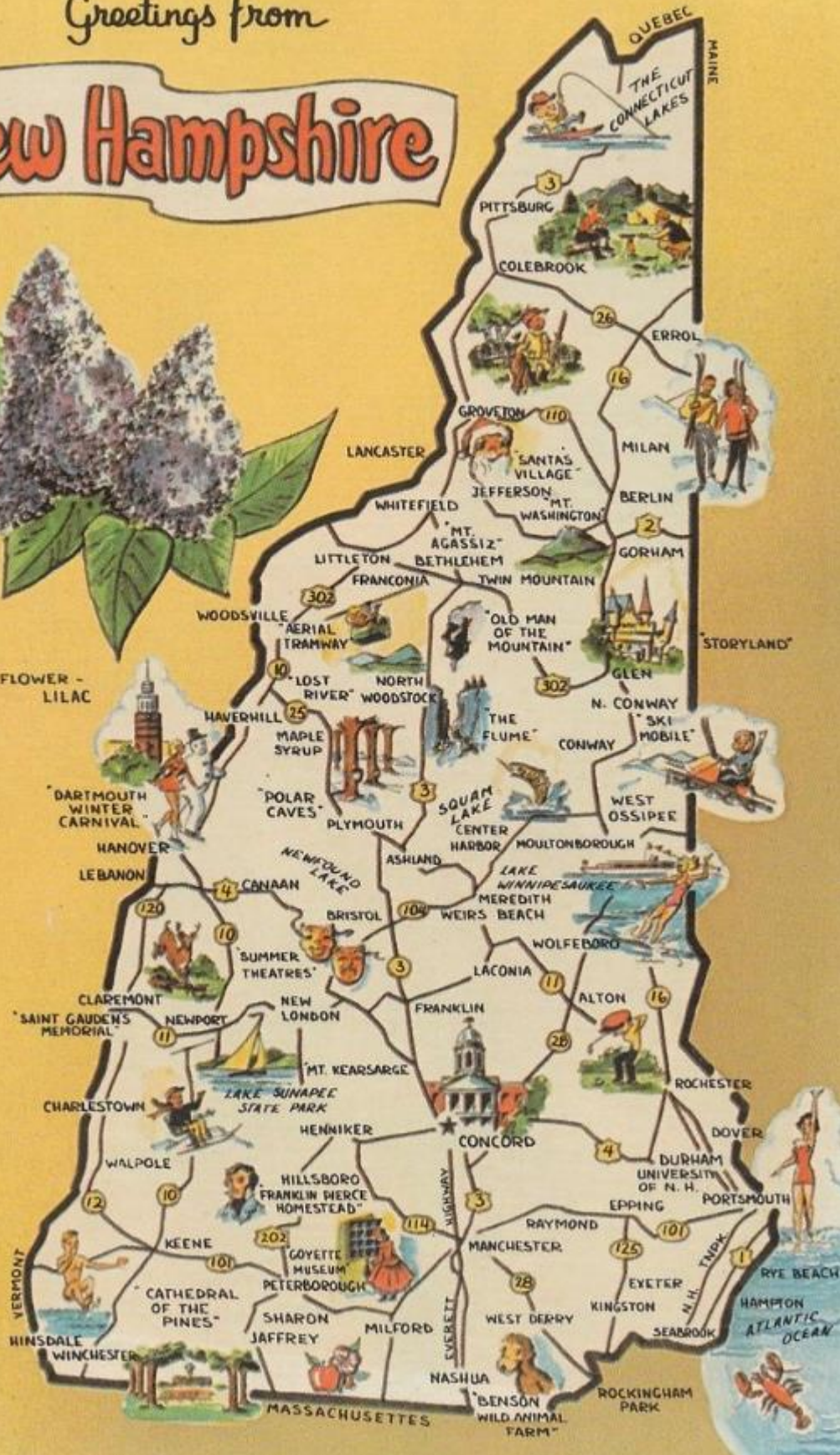
Rhode Island

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